

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claim 1 as follows:

- Sue EL*
- ~~1~~ 1. (thrice amended) A hearing aid with a microphone system (1) and a
~~2~~ subsequent analog/digital converter (5), wherein the microphone system (1) is
~~3~~ encapsulated in an electromagnetic shielding case (3) forming a shielded
~~4~~ microphone system unit and further wherein the analog/digital converter (5) is
~~5~~ mounted on an outside of the electromagnetic shielding case (3).